

Indiana Department of Environmental Management Office of Water Quality Wetlands Section

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IDEM ID Number: 2015-064-46-MBS-V

Corps of Engineers ID Number: LRC-2015-170

To all interested parties:

This letter shall serve as a formal notice of the receipt of an application for Section 401 Water Quality Certification by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The purpose of the notice is to inform the public of active applications submitted for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1341) and to solicit comments and information on any impacts to water quality related to the proposed project. IDEM will evaluate whether the project complies with Indiana's water quality standards as set forth at 327 IAC 2.

1. Applicant:

Michael & Patricia Pawlik 2656 North Tiffany Drive LaPorte, Indiana 46350 2. Agent:

Same as applicant

3. Project location:

Section 13, Township 37 North, Range 4 West, Michigan City West, USGS Quad, 8-Digit HUC 04040001

Project is located at 6055 West Johnson Road, LaPorte, LaPorte County

4. Affected waterbody:

0.04-acres of a 3.6-acre Jurisdictional Forested Wetland

5. Project Description:

The applicant proposes to place 50 cubic yards of earthen material and a 33 foot long, 24-inch culvert within 0.04-acres of a 3.6-acre jurisdictional forested wetland. The purpose of the filling activity is to construct a driveway that will allow the landowners to access their property. For additional plans and information please visit

the following webpage address: http://www.in.gov/idem/6395.htm.

Comment period:

Any person or entity who wishes to submit comments or information relevant to the aforementioned project may do so by the closing date noted above. Only comments or information related to water quality or potential impacts of the project on water quality can be considered by IDEM in the water quality certification review process.

Public Hearing:

Any person may submit a written request that a public hearing be held to consider issues related to water quality in connection with the project detailed in this notice. The request for a hearing should be submitted within the comment period to be considered timely. The request should also state the reason for the public hearing as specifically as possible to assist IDEM in determining whether a public hearing is warranted.

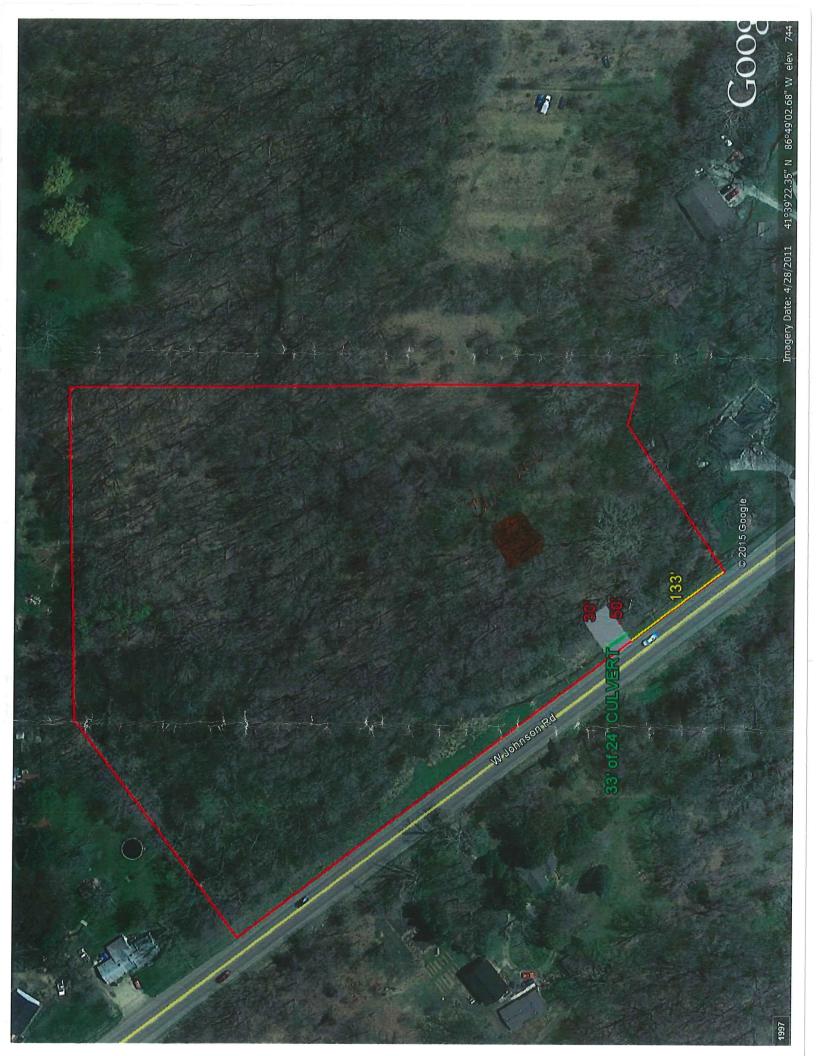
Questions?

Additional information may be obtained from Mr. Matthew Smedley, Project Manager, by phone at 317-605-4105 or by e-mail at msmedley@idem.in.gov. Please address all correspondence to the project manager and reference the IDEM project identification number listed on this notice. Indicate if you wish to receive a copy of IDEM's final decision. Written comments and inquiries may be forwarded to -

Indiana Department of Environmental Management 100 North Senate Avenue MC65-42 WQS IGCN 1255 Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2251 FAX: 317/232-8406

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